

**Congress of the United States**  
**Washington, DC 20515**

March 31, 2023

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Chair  
House Committee on Appropriations  
H-307 The Capitol  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Ranking Member  
House Committee on Appropriations  
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Dear Chairwoman Granger and Ranking Member DeLauro:

I am requesting funding for the Emergency Housing and Transitional Housing for Homeless Veterans project in fiscal year 2024. The entity to receive funding for this project is the County of Santa Clara, located at 70 W Hedding St, East Wing, 11th Floor, San Jose, CA 95110. The funding would be used to support time-sensitive repairs, such as installing a new HVAC system, updating the commercial kitchen, and resolving ongoing plumbing issues at a property that provides emergency shelter and transitional housing conditions for homeless veterans. The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer funds because it improves Santa Clara County's efforts to prevent and end veteran homelessness at the local level and improve the condition and energy efficiency of the emergency and transitional housing.

The project has a Federal nexus because the funding provided is for purposes authorized by 42 U.S.C. 5305(a)(2).

I certify that I have no financial interest in this project, and neither does anyone in my immediate family.

Sincerely,



Zoe Lofgren  
Member of Congress